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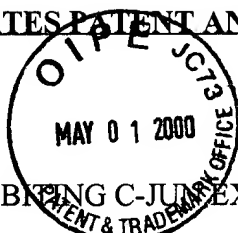
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PATENT

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Title: METHOD FOR INHIBITING C-JUN EXPRESSION USING JAK-3 INHIBITORS



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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please amend the drawings by deleting Figures 1-4 and replacing them with Figures 1-4 enclosed herewith.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 1-3, 6-9, and 14 without prejudice.

Please amend the claims as follows:

4. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [1] wherein the contacting is performed *in vitro*.
5. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [1] wherein the contacting is performed *in vivo* [*in vitro*].
10. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [1] wherein the compound [substance] is 4-(4'-hydroxylphenyl)-amino-6,7-dimethoxyquinazoline or 4-(3'-bromo-4'-hydroxylphenyl)-amino-6,7-dimethoxyquinazoline; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.
11. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [1] wherein the cells are mammalian.
12. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [1] wherein the cells are human.
13. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [1] wherein the cells are avian.

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